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FINAL EXAMINATION

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PSL0012 – INTRODUCTION TO SYARIAH LAW

(All Sections / Groups)

10th MARCH 2016
9.00 a.m – 11.00 a.m
(2 Hours)

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

1. This Question paper consists of 1 page with 5 Questions only.

2. Attempt **THREE** out of **FIVE** questions: **ONE** question from **Part A** and **TWO** questions from **Part B**. All questions carry equal marks and the distribution of the marks for each question is given.

3. Please write all your answers in the Answer Booklet provided.

Answer THREE questions only; ONE (1) question from Part A and TWO (2) questions from Part B. All answers must be in essay form.

PART A (30 MARKS): Answer ONE (1) question only.

QUESTION 1

From a constitutional law point of view, apostasy laws raise difficult constitutional issues under several provisions of the Federal Constitution. Discuss and support your answer with all relevant authorities.

[Total: 30 marks]

QUESTION 2

According to Muslim tradition, the region of Arabia before the rise of Islam sank into historical oblivion, 'the Age of Ignorance' for many centuries. Discuss the accuracy of this statement in the areas of politics, religions, social life, economics and ethics.

[Total: 30 marks]

PART B (70 MARKS): Answer TWO (2) questions only.

QUESTION 3

Explain the procedures of deducing the Islamic legal ruling under Al-Qiyas. Support your answers with all relevant authorities.

[Total: 35 marks]

QUESTION 4

The evolution of *Fiqh* can be divided into six stages. Discuss and support your answers with all relevant authorities.

[Total: 35 marks]

QUESTION 5

Explain the concept of *Maqasid As-Syari'ah* (the objectives of *Syariah*) in protecting peace and tranquility in Malaysia. Support your answers with all relevant authorities.

[Total: 35 marks]

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